

Hand & affix my seal. 9th of January 1862
Before me J. B. Dodge Notary of said
County, Georgia
I, J. B. Dodge, Notary of said
County, Georgia, do hereby certify that
the last will & testament of Ross Bruce late of said
County, Georgia, deceased & produced before the last will & testament of
the said Ross Bruce deceased & two of the witnesses of said will to
wit: W. H. Walton & Joseph H. Porter which witnesses being duly
sworn, deposed & sworn that they saw Ross Bruce the
testator sign & deliver & publish the instrument now pre-
sented as his last will & testament, freely, voluntarily & of his
own accord & without any compulsion or influence whatever that
at the time of the execution of said will, said testator was
of sound & disposing mind & memory & that deponents
signed said will as witnesses in the presence of the
testator at his special instance & request & in the
presence of each other. J. B. Dodge.

Subscribed & attested J. H. Parker
Before me the 10th of January 1862
Hart County Wills 1847-1862
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State of Georgia In the name of God Amen - I Will
Hart County, James of said state & County being of
sound mind but feeble in health & knowing that I must short-
ly depart this life, deem it right & proper both as respects
my family & myself that I should make a disposition
of my property with which a kind Providence has blessed
me to therefore make this my last will & testament hereby
I desire & direct that my body be buried in a decent &
Christian like manner. my soul I trust shall re-
turn to God who gave it, as I hope for eternal salva-
tion through the merits & atonement of the blood
shed & precious Jesus Christ. 1st I am, I desire &
direct that all my just debts be paid without delay
by my executors herein after appointed. 2nd I am,
I give & bequeath & direct to my beloved wife Eliza
which whom I have lived for a long time in quiet
peace & love & unity for as much of said
years as I now have left & all the perishable
property during her widowhood & until the youngest

...my wife, James equally divided among
Helen, I hereby appoint my dear wife
... & my brother Samuel James executor of
my last will & testament. In the 1st day of
1868. Signed sealed in presence of
witness (Test) John Bailey, Leonard Fleming
Wm Byrnes

Codicil
I do hereby give my wife James to have
acres of land joining 30 acres & 60 acres. I do
deem it necessary to enable her to support the
children.
(Test) John Bailey, Leonard Fleming
Wm Byrnes

Hart County of Oregon, January, 1868.
The wife of Elias Hart County Will (1847-1862) in open court
appears by the www.georgiapioneers.com who has filed
petition to prove the same & two of the witnesses to said
Leonard Fleming & Wm Byrnes, having subscribed affidavit
before an said will. James term of Hart Co. of Or. go
into open court at the regular term of the court & being
examined depose that they saw Elias Hart, sign of
the will as his last will & testament. Codicil added
while of sound & disposing mind, that they witnessed the
same for him at his request & in his presence &
each return & that the same was executed, voluntary
by him on the day it purports to have been signed.
Geo. J. Jones only Leonard Fleming
Wm Byrnes

State of Virginia, In the name of God Amen, I
Hart County, Fleming of said state & county, being
advanced age & knowing that I must shortly depart
life, deem it right & proper both as respects
& myself, that I should make a disposition of my
property, with which a kind Providence has
do therefore make the my last will & testament.